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(SBU) On June 16, poloff expressed appreciation for Spain's support for the US-EU prisoners of conscience declaration to Spanish MFA Director of Human Rights Fernando Fernandez-Arias Minuesa and provided him a courtesy copy of the draft press statement. Spain chose not to release a statement separate from that issued by the EU Council on June 19.  
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